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C O N F I D E N T I A L STATE 179256

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PGOV, PFOR, UN, ECOSOC

SUBJECT: 61ST ECOSOC: U.S. PROPOSAL ON ILLICIT PAYMENTS

REF: STATE 179170

1. REFTEL ASKS THAT SUBJECT ISSUE BE RAISED AGAIN WITH HOST GOVERNMENT AND PROVIDES TALKING POINTS.

2. EMBASSY SHOULD CONTACT APPROPRIATE OFFICIALS AT FINANCE OR FOREIGN MINISRY TO URGE SUPPORT EMPHASIZING THE IMPORTANCE GIVEN TO THIS INITITATIVE BY PRESIDENT FORD AND THE FACT THAT OUR PROPOSAL IS ENTIRELY PROCEDURAL AND DOES NOT PREJUDGE THE SUBSTANTIVE CONTENT OR EVEN THE ULTIMATE ACCEPTABILITY OF AN INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENT.

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4. DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE EXPLANATION OF AUSTRALIAN

POSITION. IF AUSTRALIA CANNOT SUPPORT US PROPOSAL,  
EMBASSY SHOULD PRESS FOR AT LEAST NEUTRALITY ON ISSUE. KISSINGER

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